

## **Programs and Services for Kentucky Families**

## **Student Financial Aid**

Type of Aid	Program	General Eligibility	FY2003 Amount
Grants Awards based on financial need. Generally, grants are not repaid. (A recipient who fails to enroll, withdraws, or changes enrollment status may owe a refund or repayment depending on the school's policy.)	College Access Program (CAP) Grant	Financially needy undergraduate attending public or private Kentucky college, technical college, or proprietary school at least half-time.	\$36.3 million
	Kentucky Tuition Grant	Financially needy, full-time undergraduate attending a private Kentucky college.	\$15.4 million
Scholarships Gift assistance that doesn't have to be repaid. Scholarships are usually based on skill, ability, talent, or achievement.	Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES)	High school student or GED recipient earns award based on annual GPA/ACT score. Undergraduate can use award for up to 8 semesters if required cumulative GPA is maintained.	\$58.2 million
Conversion Scholarships/Loans Conversion scholarships require recipients to provide certain services for prescribed periods or pay back the funds received with interest.	Teacher Scholarship	Highly qualified, financially needy resident seeking initial teacher certification.	\$1.9 million
	Osteopathic Medicine Scholarship	Kentucky resident accepted at Pikeville College School of Osteopathic Medicine.	\$1.4 million
Work-Study Employment which enables students to earn money to help pay the costs of higher education.	KHEAA Work-Study	Kentucky resident attending an eligible institution.	\$901,500

## **Program Services for Other Entities**

Service	Program	General Eligibility	FY2003 Amount
Fund Management and Disbursement KHEAA processes disbursements to participating institutions on behalf of the Kentucky National Guard and Early Childhood Development Authority.	Kentucky National Guard Tuition Award	Active National Guard member in good standing.	\$2.2 million
	Early Childhood Development Scholarship	Student working at least 20 hours weekly in an early childhood setting and pursuing one of the approved credentials.	\$678,600
Collections KHEAA tracks the status of recipients and cancels notes or collects on the loans for the Kentucky Department of Education.	Minority Educator Recruitment and Retention Scholarship	Minority student who is enrolled at a public university and pursuing teacher certification.	\$5.6 million since 1996
	Occupational Therapy/ Physical Therapy Related Services Scholarship	Student enrolled in an occupational or physical therapy program at a participating institution.	\$156,700 since 1998. No new awards have been made since 2000.

**Note:** All administrative functions of the Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship will transfer to KHEAA for the 2004-05 academic year and for the Minority Educator Recruitment and Retention (MERR) Scholarship for the 2005-06 academic year.